BOTH DEAD IN A BATH-HOUSE.

Titus Evidently Chloroformed Miss Duff and Then Shot Himself.

AWFUL TRAGEDY IN SEA CLIFF

The Young Couple Were Engaged to Be Married and Were Apparently Happy.

MISSING SINCE TUESDAY NIGHT.

Belief that the Deuble Murder Was Committed in a Fit o! Insanity.

The bodies of Ellett Livingston Titus and Miss Mary Duff were found in an old bathhouse at Sea Cliff, L. L. last light—the man shot to death and the sufficient M. Patterson, the Brooklyn laws are sufficient with chloroform.

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heard of until their bodies were found. A reward of \$250 had been offered for information as to their whereabouts, and there were rumors that they had met with foul play.

bred young woman of her years. Titus, who was only twenty-two years

old, was of a gay and sociable temperament and a popular member of the Sea Cliff Yacht Club.

The young people had known each other four years. Titus returned from an afternoon's

fishing trip Tuesday evening, and after dinner he went out for a ramble with Miss Duff along the beach. Miss Duff along the beach.

As they did not return, her family aroused some eighbors late that night and began a search, which with steadily increasing numbers of volunteers was

continued all of yesterlay. They had not been seen near the station, and it was feit certain by all that they had not eloped, as there was no necessity for such a proceeding.

In beating the bush and scanning the surf, the searching parties had passed field against Tammany, postponed their over .. wide range of the neighboring County Convention and refrained from country and shore, when at about 9 County Convention and refrained from o'clock Constable Brengel half idly forced putting up a ticket on the representaopen the door of the bath-house at the foot of the lawn in front of Mr. Duff's posed to put one in the field that would property and only a few yards from the represent all the organizations opposed

amined the lock and found it sound. The key was on the inside, but had not apparently been turned. The resistance that the constable en-

The resistance that the constable encountered in pushing open the door was probably from the bodies upon the floor. Mr. Titus was a son of the late Col. Henry Titus, founder of Titusville, Fla. His mother, who is of the Hodgkins family, well known in Southern social circles, is still living at Titusville. At her death young Ellett Titus would have been heir to a fortune. He came North several years ago and was given a home by his aunt. Mrs. James D. Hodgkins, wife of Dr. Hodgkins, of 440 Clinton street, Brooklyn. The Hodgkins are wealthy, and the young Southerner, who was seeking his fortune in Wall street, was charged nothing for board or lodging. He was treated as one of the family, and Mrs. Hodgkins said to-day that he seemed to be happy.

Were to Be Married This Pall. "He was of a cheerful disposition," he said. "reasonably prosperous as a roker, being with Waish & Floyd, of 25 road street, and often spoke of his ap-roaching marriage.

night—the man shot to death and the girl suffocated with chloroform.

It was apparently either a case of joint self-destruction or a murder and suicide, committed presumably by the man.

Titus and Miss Duff, who were engaged to be married, went out for a stroll Tuesday night, and had not been seen or heard of until their bodies were found.

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Titus Not in Business.

met with foul play.

Miss Duff was the nineteen-year-old daughter of Peter Duff, a well-to-do furniture dealer at 252 Columbia street. He remained in that position for two pairs, when R. M. L. Walsh went to him as cashier, in a cashier, in the same city.

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where he proposed curing in with the chloroform. The doctor thinks Titus business.

Mr. Moss went over the minutes of unintentionally gave her an overdose or kept the chloroform cloth on too long.

Mr. Moss went over the minutes of the Association and found the record of several fines that were imposed on

Which Ticket They Will Help.

The attitude of the Independent County Organization towards the Committee of LXX.'s union ticket will be definitely made known to-morrow night at the of the Association. Which Ticket They Will Help. made known to-morrow night at the of the meeting of the County Committee at 66 Seventh street.

The Independents have exhibited a disposition to bolt the LXX's ticket because their Conference Committee was not consulted as to the make-up of the ticket. At the request of the LXX, the

to Tammany Hall.

an honorable man, and he could no get anything but an honorable discharge," said Mr. Steffens. Policeman McLaughlin Vindlested Chairman Lexow thought that Mi-Laughtin's coustn should be punished for gross perfury, for his statements against the policemin were exidently mall thus

and otherwise, which,

Wolf Wallach, a soda-water manufacturer of 25 Columbia street, restilled that he was a customed to collect 45 apiece from the keepers of street stands using his soda-water, for permits.

What tild you do with the money.

Titus has not been in active business once last April. Three years ago he keepers who had been arrested. He did not know whether any of it went to the not know whether any of it went to the

a customer from another. He is fined for that. The minutes showed that Mr. Brodsky was employed several times to reinder logal services to the Assaciation, and that he usually charged larger bills than the Assaciation waisted to pay. They always paid them, however after some Ricking There was he

Nathan I Wallman, a private detective of the Committee, employed in working up the soda-water business, was then put on the stand. He had spent about three weeks in investigating the business on the east side and

"He probably seized her tightly with one hand and arm and applied the anturated cloth to her face, checking her breath and ability to cry out at once, and holding it there until she was dead.

"Then, likely, he closed the door, sat down on the beach and shot himself, silding down to the floor into the attitude in which he was found."

If Dr. Burns is correct in his conjecture, it does not appear just why fitus employed chloroform upon the girl and shot himself, unless he was prompted by that fantastic delicary that often comes to the woman-slayer not to shed her blood or mar her fiesh with a wound.

Bodies Taken to the Cottage.

The bodies were taken upon the correct's permit to the Duff cottage.

Constable Brengel said at first that he had burst open the bath-house had burst

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the Mr. Brodsky, and he STERLING SILVER TRIMMED.

when he came in, and went out im-mediately to investigate it. He went to 415 West street, but was unable to find any one by the name of Klein, and that was all he had ever been able to learn of the matter. He said he had given no orders to any one to collect money from excursion boats, and had

people. e you any knowledge that the Ex-

opeland admitted that he might bence of violations of the law if in citizens' clothes went abroad, had never thought of resorting he had lever thoughts that he knew of his means, also admitted that he knew of lay excursion boats advertised bar lieges for sale, and that the owners no beense. Still, he said, he could prevent it. It was no use to try, len't it a fact that yor boat goues nightly these excursion boats Sundays on they leave the deck, and that you k to then till your men are paid, and a let the boats go on their way.

any precautions to ascertain whether the Exche law was being violated on these boats or not."

"I do, because it would have been no consternation in St. Petersburg.

Cap: Copeland in answer to the questions of the Chairman explained that there were a great many difficulties in the way of enforcing the Sunday law, because the destination of the excursion basis was always ourside of his jurisdiction. They would not open their bars until they got beyond the city line, he said

Then't you know that they always open their bars before they leave their docks" asked Senator Bradley.

"No sir: I don't know it."

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His Physicians Decide Not to Take Authorities at Tien-Tsin Claim to

Pronounced Symptoms of Debility

The condition of the Czar has perceptibly changed for the worse. It is added that his symptoms of general debility place on Monday last, Oct. 15. No details

The Grand Dukes Sergius and Paul, brothers of the Czar, started for A despatch received here from Port

Livadia to-day. the Grand Duke of Hesse Carmstadt they a true.

the Grand Duke of Hesse Carmstadt they a god have never taken and the Grand Duchess Sergius, his fying.

there is a general feeling that the end The famous Pere Ivan, of Cronstadt,

Fought North of the Yalu.

Know Nothing of It.

Mikado's Forces Sald to Be Fortify-

and Japanese, north of the Yalu River

have any knowledge of such a battle.

G. O. P. WANTS FUNDS.

Bankers and Brokers.

The engagement is said to have taker

ing on Ping-Yang Inlet.

Marked Change for the Worse in Chinese and Japanese Said to Have Russia's Ruler.

end Heart Weakness.

sudden gravity of the Czar's condition. a reply was received to-day, saying that ceeded to the Ping-Yang inlet, which The news from Livadia has caused

stadt, who is universally revered by the in Wall street on reaching their offices Russian people, and who is often called to-day were somewhat surprised to find leave their has started for Livadia in order to pray

A. F. JAMMES, New Austrian Minister Coming.

(iii) Associated Progent
VHENNA. Oct. 18.—The official announcement is made to-day of the exchange of places between Clievaller de Tavera, Austrian Minister at Washington, and Herr Hengelmuller. Austrian Minister to Brazil.

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TIEN-TSIN, Oct. 18.-It is reported here, in native circles, that a great battle has been fought between the Chinese Grand Jury Said to Have Found Indictments.

State Democratic Committee Starts The Chinese authorities claim not to the Investigation.

Arthur, dated Tuesday last, Oct. 16. Unusually Heavy Registration in New York and Brooklyn. As the result of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the State Democratic

Committee, evidence was this morning

laid before the Grand Jury to show that

a great deal of Republican colonization

is going on in the Tenth Assembly Dis The State Committee Asks Aid from It was announced exclusively in "The majority of bankers and brokers Evening World" of yesterday, that the Committee would take this action. It is said that many indictments were

Russian people, and who is often called to the bedside of persons dangerously ill, in order to pray for their recovery, has started for Livadia in order to pray for the czar.

This is a striking proof of the gravity of the Czars condition.

The Minister of Justice. Privy Countries bereight from abroad. It is reported that he will be charked to assist the Czarewitch in the direction of State affairs.

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Odds of 100 to 30 were offered on the Stock Ex-change this mersing that Strong will be elected Mayor in the coming election.

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